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but their use is largely restricted to the dispensing of Chinese drugs to outpatients. There is a military hospital in a temporary building or shed, connected with the large camp just outside the northeast corner of the city, near the imperial mint. There is also a Fong Pin hospital just off the northwest corner of the city wall where patients are received as inpatients.

The principal hospital and the oldest in the city is the Medical Missionary Society's hospital, commonly called the Canton Hospital. For fifty years the hospital has carried on a large work, introducing the first modern surgery into China. The hospital has 300 beds, and in emergency this number could be largely increased. Its location is on the river front, less than one-fourth mile east of the custom-house and foreign settlement. Over 2,000 inpatients and 25,000 outpatients are treated annually, while about 2,000 surgical operations are performed each year. There are 10 main buildings, including the medical college building, connected with the hospital. The institution is supported entirely by the local Chinese and foreign communities.

There is also the Paul Domour French hospital, located near the electric light works, on the river front. It is a neat little hospital of about 80 to 100 beds, managed on modern lines, and efficient work is done.

#### CUBA.

##### *Report from Cienfuegos—Inspection of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Suarez reports, February 22:

*Week ended February 20.*

Vessels inspected.....	3
Bills of health issued.....	3
Members of crews inspected.....	69

No quarantinable diseases were reported.

##### *Report from Habana—Inspection of vessels—Sanitary conditions.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amessee reports, February 22:

*Week ended February 20.*

Vessels inspected.....	22
Bills of health issued.....	27
Members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	1,209
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	1,468

Local and provincial sanitary officers report satisfactory health conditions at all points in the Republic.

##### *Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, February 22:

Week ended February 20. Bills of health granted to 6 vessels leaving for United States ports.